



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF
FOOD & AGRICULTURE

Karen Ross, Secretary

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Renewed

Permit No. QC 1234

**PERMIT FOR THE SHIPMENT OF CALIFORNIA-PRODUCED CHERRY
FRUIT FROM OREGON TO CALIFORNIA**

Under authority of Title 3, California Code of Regulations (CCR), Section 3154 (Secretary May Issue Special Permits), permission is hereby granted to the Oregon Department of Agriculture (ODA) to authorize:

Harry & David Operations Corp.
P.O. Box 9000
2518 South Pacific Highway
Medford, Oregon 97501

David Ortega
Orchard View Inc.
4055 Skyline Rd
The Dalles, Oregon 97058

to ship California grown cherry fruit into California without fumigation, subject to the requirements and conditions of this permit, which would otherwise be prohibited under the requirements of CCR, Section 3256, Cherry Fruit Fly Exterior Quarantine, under the following conditions:

To meet the requirements for this master permit, ODA shall:

1. Upon request, make available all records pertaining to the purchase, packing, handling, shipments, and disposition of California-produced cherries to the Pest Exclusion Branch.
2. Cherry fruit produced in other states may not be shipped under the authority of this permit.
3. The establishment shall not commingle California-produced cherries with cherries from any other origin and shall maintain the identity and origin of each lot at all times in storage. Cherries of different origins shall be kept in separate storage areas.
4. All cherries delivered to the establishment shall be made available and are subject to inspection by ODA and shall otherwise meet California entry requirements.
5. California-produced cherries may be packed or repacked only when the establishment's packing line is clear of cherries which originated from any other origin.



6. All California-produced cherry loads shall be received with the load number added to the lot to maintain lot identity. To provide for manual lot identification in the event of a system failure, each pallet shall be identified with a lot code.
7. All different lots of a cherry SKU shall be stored in separate warehouse management computer system storage locations.
8. Cherries going through the pre-sort line, would maintain lot identity.
9. When California-produced cherries arrive at the establishment while cherries from a different origin are on premises, or when non-California cherries arrive at the premises while California cherries are on premises, then the establishment shall place the cherries from the second origin on hold. The hold shall not be released until all of the first origin cherries have been packaged. The establishment shall physically verify that product has been removed from the process lines and then shall notify the establishment's Quality Control Department.
10. The establishment's Quality Control Department shall verify that cherries from the first origin have been removed before releasing the second origin to process lines.
11. Gift packs containing the first origin cherries shall not be reworked by the replacement of expiring cherries with new cherries until after the second origin cherries have been used.
12. Gift packs of California-produced cherries are not precluded from participating in the Origin Inspection Program administered by the Department's Pest Exclusion Interior Program.

Violation of or inability to meet any of the conditions of this permit shall be sufficient cause for immediate revocation of the permit and destruction of the fruit, or return of the fruit to origin at the expense of the shipper.

Unless earlier revoked, this permit is valid through May 31, 2022.

Sincerely,



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